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ACTION: NONE INFO: ALA/BG-2, ALA/MC/D, ALA/PO/LA, ALA/S4,  
ALA/SA/R, ALA/SA/RPE-2, ALA/SA/SW, ALA/SA/SW1, ALA/SER-2, ALA/SWM,  
ALA/SWR, NIO/WL, ODPN-N, ODPN-S, ODE/FR, ODE/WL, RF, ZC1/OC, ZEPS/EG,  
ZINT/RF, ZSAG/MEB, ZSAG/FPB, ZSAG/SF, FILE, DDO-4, EUP/F-2, EUR/RP,  
LA/CPR-2, LA/DPS, LA/RR, CCS-3, C1/L, C1/OC, CR/E, D/FPB~~S~~, EPS/EG-2,  
HIC, ICS/CHC/EU, INT/RR, NIO/LA, OEXA/PAD, PCS/LCG/PCS/PGL, SAG/MEB,  
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RUFHOLB/AMCONSUL DUSSELDORF PRIORITY 5756

RUFHFT/AMCONSUL FRANKFURT PRIORITY 9397

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RUFHOLD/AMCONSUL STUTTGART PRIORITY 8099

RUFHEB/AMEMBASSY BERLIN PRIORITY 8291

RUFHJA/USMISSION USBERLIN PRIORITY 3421

RUFHNA/USMISSION USNATO PRIORITY 4890

RUEHLD/AMEMBASSY LONDON PRIORITY 8167

RUFHOLC/AMCONSUL HAMBURG PRIORITY 7901

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TAGS: SCOM, US, FR

SUBJECT:(C) PRESS GUIDANCE: KLAUS BARBIE

.. (C) THERE FOLLOWS APPROVED WHITE HOUSE MEDIA GUIDANCE  
ON KLAUS BARBIE STORY. THE SPECIFIC QUESTION FOR WHICH  
THIS GUIDANCE WAS PREPARED RELATED TO A REQUEST FOR COMMENT  
CONCERNING BARBIE'S REPORTED LINKS TO U.S. INTELLIGENCE.  
ADDRESSEES SHOULD USE THIS GUIDANCE AS A GENERAL STATEMENT  
OF THE USG POSITION. PARIS PASS TO CONSULATES.

2. (U) BEGIN TEXT:

(U)(C) CAN YOU COMMENT ON THIS MORNING'S NEW YORK TIMES  
STORY CONCERNING KLAUS BARBIE LINKS TO U.S. INTELLIGENCE?

1. APPROPRIATE AGENCIES HAVE BEEN ASKED FOR A REVIEW TO  
IDENTIFY ANY INFORMATION THAT MIGHT BE RELEVANT. OF  
COURSE, WITH REGARD TO YOUR QUESTION ON INTELLIGENCE,  
YOU KNOW THAT WE DO NOT COMMENT ON INTELLIGENCE MATTERS  
AS A GENERAL POLICY.

(U) WE CONDEMN ANY ACTIVITY THAT WOULD INTERFERE WITH  
THE BRINGING TO JUSTICE OF PEOPLE ACCUSED OF SUCH ABHORRENT

CRIMES AGAINST MANKIND. THE U.S. GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN  
ACTIVELY INVOLVED FOR YEARS IN IDENTIFYING AND BRINGING

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TO JUSTICE FORMER NAZIS ACCUSED OF WAR CRIMES. AS YOU  
ARE AWARE, THE OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS WITHIN  
THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE IS ENTIRELY DEVOTED TO THIS  
ACTIVITY.

END TEXT.

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